

Weekly Newsletter - 20/01/23

Dear Parents and Carers,
This week I am starting the newsletter with the sad news that one of our ex-pupils, Paige Patterson has sadly passed away. We are heartbroken for the family and send condolences on behalf of the entire school community to her family and friends.

This week many of our staff, pupils and parents have been speaking to David Clarke, who is working with the school to identify areas for improvement. The feedback has been overwhelmingly positive and I would like to thank all the parents for their contributions. It is very evident that you are as proud of the school as I am. This is also reflected in our ofsted report which has now been published. You can read this by clicking this link <https://reports.ofsted.gov.uk/provider/21/102746>

As you can see, the attendance this week has not been as good as last week, but some classes are doing a fantastic job. Please do not use the colder weather as an excuse not to send your child to school. The best place for them to be is in school with their friends and teachers.

I know you would have seen the news that the NEU have balloted their members and decided to take Industrial Action. Some teachers at Star have informed me that they will be striking and I will be writing to parents early next week when I have more details to explain next steps.

Best wishes,
Ms Von



Year Six Junior Citizens

On Monday, Year Six took part in the Junior Citizenship programme which is run in partnership with the Metropolitan Police. We learnt essential life skills on how to keep ourselves safe when we are using public transport and how to respond when faced with situations that can be dangerous. We also won lots of medals!



Google Classroom

Remember you can keep up to speed with your child's learning each week by logging onto their Google Classroom. Your child has a login which they use each day in school. This is a great way for you to recap on prior learning together at home - you never know, you might learn some new skills too!

Click the icon for our handy user guides.

Please speak to your child's teacher if you have any questions.



Google Classroom

★ Attendance at Star

Did you come to school everyday this week?

Which classes achieved the highest attendance?

Who will get the attendance cup?

★ **Nursery**
AM - 84.5%
PM - 83.2%

Reception
RA - 87.7%
RSM - 87.4%
★ RB - 90.4%

★ **Year 1**
1R - 82.6%
1T - 89.2%
1B - 89.3%

Year 2
2P - 76.1%
2S - 92.0%
2U - 89.5%
★ 2V - 95.0%

★ **Year 3**
3GR - 95.9%
3R - 91.0%
3L - 90.1%

★ **Year 4**
4R - 99.3%
4HS - 95.7%
4L - 94.0%

★ **Year 5**
5R - 97.6%
5PN - 95.4%
5T - 90.4%

Year 6
6H - 94.0%
6V - 96.7%
6R - 92.7%
★ 6S - 97.1%

Whole school attendance - 91.4%

Happy leaves

This half term we are celebrating the achievements of pupils who show good **coping skills**.

The winners in this weeks assembly were.....



Nursery AM - David PM - Tasnima	Reception RA - Zaheer PSM - Liyana RB - Shuvam
Year 1 1R- Hristo 1T- Lucas 1B - Emmanuel	Year 2 2P- Denika 2S- Bohdan 2U - Lydia 2V- Hamzah
Year 3 3GR- Aleena 3R- Eugene 3L- Nashwan	Year 4 4R- Rohan 4HS- Thomas 4L- Ayan
Year 5 5R- Jannath 5PN- Kadija 5T- Elijah	Year 6 6H- Isabella 6V- Brayden 6R- Kateryna 6S- Miley

Golden lunches

Class teachers select one pupil per week to have a golden lunch with the Headteacher or Deputies. This is awarded to those that show the **most progress** or **make the most effort in the learning!**

Reception RA- Azzahra RSM- Adam RB - Eshaal	
Year 1 1R- Salma 1T- Ruben 1B - Temesgen	Year 2 2P- Gabriele 2S- Nellie Lou 2U - Teddie 2V- Dragos
Year 3 3GR- Rania 3R- Kayden 3L- Ismoil	Year 4 4R- Rayyan 4HS- Sara 4L- Amir
Year 5 5R- Sarah 5PN- Amy 5T- Muntasir	Year 6 6H- Aayan 6V- Imeida 6R- Arfan 6S- Eiliyah

House points

Teachers, lunch staff, support staff, school leaders and our office team have been awarding house tokens all week. Pupils have received tokens if they have **demonstrated children's rights**, shown good leadership skills and have excellent learning behaviors.

Congratulations to the winning house....results below!

Artwork	Score
Da Vinci	449
Monet	495
Picasso	475
Van Gogh	482

Winning House
Monet
495